



**AFSCME LOCAL 517
EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING MINUTES
3/22/2021
WebEx Meeting**

Attendees: Lynne Freezy, Angela Plumbo, Mark Riegel, Jody Johnson, Carol Hanson, Joe Sanders, Hannah Keller, Amy Oleke, Carissta Arndt, & Ashley Marston

- Call to Order - 12:07pm
- Chief Stewards' Reports
 - Exempt - no updates
 - Non-Exempt - no new grievances; continuing to work through 1 suspension
- Member Outreach Report
 - Outreach planning meeting for membership drive was held 3/18
 - Team set a goal of 50 new members by fall
 - Using a list of current non-members, the team will begin outreach based on existing relationships and those departments with higher membership.
 - A shared document will be used to track membership outreach
 - An outreach guide and templates were created
 - Discussed holding gift card drawings for new members, including one at the 2021 holiday party.
 - Team asked about the possibility of emailing all non-members to inform them about the membership drive, however, per the president, a dedicated email will not be possible.
 - Team requested approval for:
 - Use of \$1200 left from the 2020 holiday party to purchase gift cards, mailings, food, or other event expenses related to the new membership drive.
 - Motion to Approve - Angie Plumbo
 - Second - Jody Johnson
- President's Report
 - There is a new council 5 representative for: City of Forest Lake, City of Oak Park Heights, City of Stillwater, & Stillwater Library
- Business Reps Report
- Old Business
- New Business
 - Connecting with library staff and county to determine how to assist frontline staff still not vaccinated.
- Adjourn - 1:03pm

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President: Lynne Freezy

Vice President: Angie Plumbo

Treasurer: Barb Christianson

Recording Secretary: Ashley Marston

New Member Secretary: Mark Riegel

Chief Stewards: Jody Johnson (exempt) and Carol Hanson (non-exempt)

AFSCME Business Representative: Suzanne Kocurek

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